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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENTS</b>	Atty. Docket No. <b>VIGN1340</b>
Applicant: <b>David Thomas</b>	
Application Number: <b>10/033,242</b>	
Filed: <b>12/28/2001</b>	
For <b>System and Method for the Synchronization of a File in a Cache</b>	
Group Art Unit: <b>2177</b>	Examiner: <b>Wong, Leslie</b>
Confirmation Number: <b>8530</b>	

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FEE CALCULATION						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Minus	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Large Entity Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	38	-	43	0	x 18.00	0.00
INDEP.	6	-	4	2	x 88.00	176.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULT. CLAIMS						
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE				MONTH(S)		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE						176.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the above noted fee from deposit account number 50-3183 of Sprinkle IP Law Group. Applicant believes no further fees are due and owing. If Applicant is in error, the Asst. Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the appropriate amount from the above-noted Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Official Action mailed July 8, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner reconsider the rejections of the Claims in view of the this reply.

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